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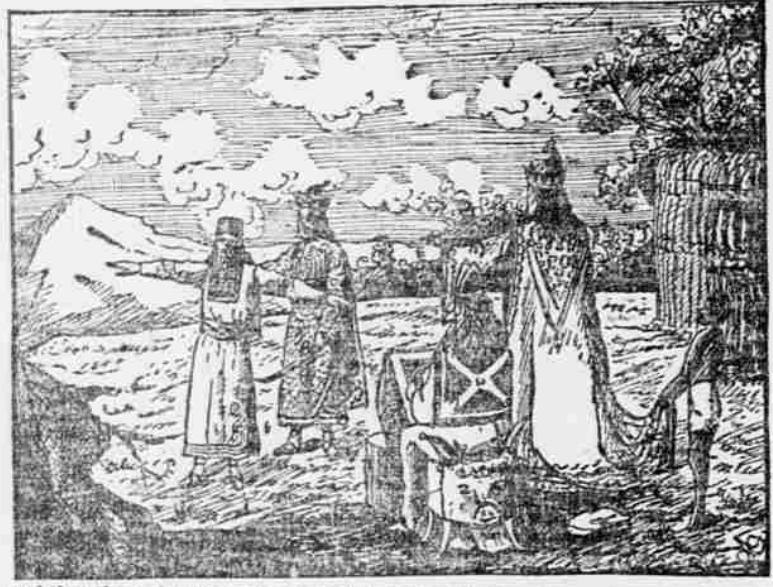
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## THE WONDERS OF OSIRIS THE MYSTERY OF CHELKA GIR.

Herod, Emperor of Persia B. C. 700, becoming alarmed at gradually losing his power through the superstitious belief of his people in the Maspians, (wizards or magicians); after consulting the seven Princes permitted to see his face (Who see the King's face. Ezra, VII; 14), determined to exterminate them, and so retain his powerful ascendancy; and consequently issued an order that on the third full moon all the Maspians should assemble at the Chasm of Bokhara, where he commanded his soldiers, to force them (some hundreds of Maspians) at the point of the scimitar to jump into the chasm;



and that there should not be one left, the initials of each magician were engraved on a stone, (Given with iron in the rock forever. Job, XXII, 24.) and on the last one, (Osiris), being placed in position for the terrible death leap, he uttered a malediction, the last words of which were: "My body will perish, but in that stone to which I now bequeath my magic Art, my spirit shall live forever!" and with one unearthly shriek, Osiris the last and greatest of all the Maspians, disappeared in the chasm.

Now Herod, being troubled at these words of Osiris, to which he attributed a fearful significance, and as an effort to counteract the supposed power conveyed to this stone by Osiris, ordered to be built the Temple of Porsepolis, using this engraved stone, (afterwards named Osiris), as a corner stone.

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## SPORTING.

**The Pelican Club.**  
LONDON, Sept. 17.—The court has refused to grant an injunction to restrain the Pelican club from having glove fights in their clubhouses.

**Louisville Races.**  
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 17.—First race—Dead heat between Eli and Miss Leon Moore. Eli, first; Miss Leon Moore, second; Run Off, third.  
Second race—One mile and seventy yards. Major Tom, first; David, second; Bertha, third. Time, 1:49.  
Third race—One mile and a quarter. Uncle Bob, first; Riley, second; W. G. Morris, third. Time, 2:12 1/2.  
Fourth race—Five eighths of a mile. Birdella M., first; Lotie, second; Maud B., third. Time, 1:05.  
Fifth race—Declared off, and the dead heat between Eli and Miss Leon substituted. Eli won. Time, 1:49.

**Northern Baseball.**  
New York, Sept. 17.—The following baseball games were postponed on account of rain:  
Players' league—Brooklyn and New York.  
National league—Philadelphia and New York, Brooklyn and Boston.

**BROTHERHOOD.**  
CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 17.—First game—Chicago—Runs, 11; base hits, 8; errors, 3. Buffalo—Runs, 4; base hits, 14; errors, 3. Batteries—Baldwin and Boyle, Cunningham and Mack. Umpire—Holbert.

Second game—Chicago—Runs, 3; base hits, 5; errors, 1. Buffalo—Runs, 1; base hits, 4; errors, 1. Batteries—King and Boyle, Stafford and Mack.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 17.—Cleveland—Runs, 6; base hits, 11; errors, 2. Pittsburgh—Runs, 1; base hits, 7; errors, 4. Batteries—Gruber and Sutcliffe, Staley and Quinn.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 17.—Philadelphia—Runs, 3; base hits, 6; errors, 3. Boston—Runs, 4; base hits, 9; errors, 2. Batteries—Sanders and Milligan, Radbourne and Daily. Umpire—Knicht.

**LEAGUE.**  
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 17.—First game—Cleveland—Runs, 17; base hits, 20; errors, 2. Pittsburgh—Runs, 4; base hits, 9; errors, 2. Batteries—Beatin and Zimmer, Anderson and Decker. Umpire—Strief.

Second game—Cleveland—Runs, 6; base hits, 7; errors, 1. Pittsburgh—Runs, 2; base hits, 4; errors, 2. Batteries—Vian and Zimmer, Smith and Decker. Umpire—Kerens.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Sept. 17.—First game—Columbus—Runs, 5; base hits, 5; errors, 1. St. Louis—Runs, 6; base hits, 6; errors, 1. Batteries—Knauss and Boyle, Stitts and Munyan. Umpire—Emalle.

Second game—Columbus—Runs, 6; base hits, 5; errors, 0. St. Louis—Runs, 17; base hits, 5; errors, 9. Batteries—Easton and O'Connor, Ramsey and Munyan. Umpire—Emslie.

**BROTHERHOOD.**  
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Sept. 17.—Cleveland—Runs, 6; base hits, 11; errors, 2. Pittsburgh—Runs, 1; base hits, 7; errors, 4. Batteries—Gruber and Sutcliffe, Staley and Quinn. Umpire—Gaffney.

**LEAGUE.**  
CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 17.—Chicago—Runs, 6; base hits, 10; errors, 4. Cincinnati—Runs, 6; base hits, 7; errors, 3. Batteries—Stein and Kittredge, Duryea and Keenan. Umpire—McQuade. Game called at the end of twelve innings.

**ASSOCIATION.**  
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 17.—Rochester—Runs, 10; base hits, 11; errors, 2. Stars—Runs, 8; base hits, 11; errors, 1. Batteries—Barr and McGuire, Mars and Pitts. Umpire—Taylor.

## TEXAS ALL RIGHT.

Julius Runge of Galveston and John Swayne so Tell the East.

Estimated Population of Counties in Texas Which had Less than Ten Thousand in 1880.

Conferees on the Tariff Rushing Things—Raum Investigation Announced—Kennedy's Speech Omitted.

Texas Full of Prosperity.

Special to the Gazette.  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The following appears in to-day's New York Times: "Texas is now in a prosperous condition," said Mr. Julius Runge of Galveston to a Times reporter. "After a number of bad years, values touched bottom in our state in 1888."

He said: "Good crops last year brought about a change for the better, and now from all sections come reports of improved conditions. There has been an unusual increase in the number of national banks of late, and several millions of capital have been added. Texas offers inducements for investors and settlers not equalled by any other state. There are large bodies of grazing lands well watered, which can be bought for \$1.75 and upward per acre and good lands for cotton, wheat, corn and oats are available at prices ranging from \$2 upward. Last year the state taxes were only twenty cents on the \$100. Money is plentiful for the school fund of Texas and the lands held by the state for the same are estimated at \$60,000,000."

Trying to Agree.

Special to the Gazette.  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The conferees on the tariff are doing their utmost to reach an agreement by the end of the week, but in order to accomplish it both the senate and house will have to make liberal concessions. It is understood that the senate, however, will firmly insist upon its amendment to the sugar schedule. The house conferees will yield reluctantly to that demand provided the senate will recede from its amendment striking out the revenue reduction features.

The Southern Republicans in the house are protesting loudly that unless a portion of the tobacco tax is taken off they cannot consent to support the conferees report. Several of the Virginia, Maryland and North Carolina Republicans asserted to-day that Mr. McKinley had assured them that the clause in regard to tobacco would be restored if he could influence the matter.

That clause reduced the tax one-half on smoking and chewing tobacco and absolute licenses for dealers, peddlers, etc., and was struck out by the senate.

**THE TALK OF A RECESS**  
of congress is confined to the leaders of the party who but reflect the sentiment of the president on the question. The rank and file have not been consulted. No power on earth can keep congress here after the tariff bill is disposed of. All are eager to get away and they will at once when the tariff bill is agreed to. The Republicans alone are to blame for the length of the session. They have been without a quorum for many weeks. They did not have a quorum when they voted to send the tariff bill to conference. They then exhausted every effort. They cannot pass any resolution objected to by the Democrats with less than 166 members. There is no prospect of the passing of any bills except the tariff bill at this session. It is now said the tariff bill will be back in the house on Monday and that final adjournment will ensue on the Saturday following.

**MR. JOHN V. SWAYNE,** one of Fort Worth's leading real estate men is at the Elbbitt, and speaks as follows of the growing Texas metropolis: Fort Worth is the chief railroad center of the state and is therefore the natural radiating point of the great Panhandle, West Texas, the Colorado and Concho country of the Southwest. It is destined to become a great commercial and mining center. We have seven national banks with a combined capital and surplus of \$3,250,000. We have eleven railroads and the twelfth is being constructed. Fort Worth has twenty-seven miles of electric street railway, sixty-four miles of macadamized streets. Union stock yards with a pork packing and beef refrigerating plant, sixty-nine distinct manufacturing plants with an annual output of \$5,000,000, a board of trade building that cost \$110,000 and other advantages and resources that would be

**THINGS TO MENTION.**  
We are proud of our growth, which is none the less substantial because of its rapidity, and in 1890 we expect to have 100,000 people.

Mr. Crain succeeded in passing to-day the bill which has already passed the senate granting to the Texas-Mexican electric light and power company the right to erect wires across the Rio Grande river at Eagle Pass.

Speaker Reed has signed the river and harbor bill. The next signature will be that of the vice-president. The bill will then have to run the gauntlet of presidential scrutiny and approval.

**Estimated Population of Texas Counties.**  
Special to the Gazette.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—In view of the fact that under the constitution of Texas, counties having 10,000 population or more are entitled to elect a tax collector, Senator Reagan furnished a list of a portion of the counties which had less than 10,000 in 1880 to the superintendent of the census, and requested Mr. Porter to advise him which of them now had 10,000 or more population, so that the people of Texas might know what additional counties could this year elect tax collectors.

Following is Superintendent Porter's reply:

**CENSUS OFFICE.**  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 8, 1890.  
Hon. John H. Reagan, United States Senate Chamber.  
DEAR SIR—Replying to your letter of the 23d ult., I beg to submit for your consideration a statement showing the estimated population of the counties

named by you, said statement being based upon the daily reports of enumerators, as made to this office during the progress of the enumeration. The actual count of population for these counties has not been ascertained, but as soon as it is you will be promptly notified. Special pains will be taken to obtain the official figures on population for those counties where the estimated population is nearly or quite 10,000. Meanwhile, I think this memorandum will be sufficiently indicative for your purposes.

In the case of those counties showing a population of over 10,000, according to the enumerators' returns, I do not think there is any question but that the actual reports will equal the amount stated, and in many cases will be in excess of those figures. Very respectfully,  
ROBERT P. PORTER,  
Superintendent of Census.

Statement showing the estimated population of counties in Texas.

COUNTIES.	POPULATION.	COUNTIES.	POPULATION.
Camp	2,940	Nueces	7,256
Delta	8,287	Starr	2,642
Franklin	2,710	Victoria	2,591
Greene	2,710	Wilbarger	2,591
Morris	2,286	San Saba	2,514
Rains	2,286	Llano	2,445
Glenn	2,286	Lampasas	2,393
Angelika	2,286	Kerr	2,428
Jasper	2,286	Kendall	2,428
Jefferson	2,286	Henderson	2,428
Liberty	2,286	Gillespie	2,428
Orange	2,286	El Paso	2,428
Sabine	2,286	Callahan	2,428
San Antonio	2,286	Brewster	2,428
San Jacinto	2,286	Bandera	2,428
Trinity	2,286	Clay	2,428
Madison	2,286	Stephens	2,428
Port Bend	2,286	Palo Pinto	2,428
Lee	2,286	St. Louis	2,428
Maagard	2,286	El Paso	2,428
Waller	2,286	Tom Green	2,428
Wharton	2,286	Hemphill	2,428
Atascosa	2,286	Polk	2,428
Bee	2,286	Schley	2,428
Comanche	2,286	Rockwall	2,428
Goliad	2,286	Webb	2,428
Hayes	2,286	Hamilton	2,428
Hidalgo	2,286	Comanche	2,428
Karnes	2,286	Coryell	2,428
Kimney	2,286	Brown	2,428
Medina	2,286		

**The Raum Inquiry.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—George B. Fleming was the first witness to-day before the committee investigating the charges against Pension Commissioner Raum.

Mr. Cooper asked if Butler Fitch had not told him that Bradley Tanner had given the names of six or seven pension office employees who had refrigerator stock.

Witness replied that Fitch had said so, and he (witness) had told it to Cooper, as well as what Fitch had told him about the deal with the Chinese telegram. Witness also heard Fitch tell Cooper that his check turned pale when he read Tanner's testimony to Commissioner Raum. Witness said that he had brought Cooper where he could meet Fitch. Before the resolutions for inquiry had been prepared witness had assured Cooper that the charges could be proved, but had not mentioned Fitch's name. Witness had written an article on the subject which appeared in the Indianapolis Sentinel and had supplied information about the matter to the St. Louis Republic. Six or seven good men besides Fitch had supplied witness with information about the refrigerator, four of whom were pension office employees. The commissioner offered to get their names, but Cooper and Lewis protested against the question, the former saying that the evident purpose was "to get even" with the employees. The commissioner replied that he desired to bring those men before the committee. Cooper said the men had been Bradley Tanner was a stockholder and that was how he moved. Continuing, witness said that he had sent men to Tanner to talk with him and bring the information to him (witness). He desired to use it in his newspaper business. He had been an employee in the office himself and knew the men to be reliable. That was last spring. His object was not particularly to "put up a case" on the commissioner, but to get at the truth. Witness finally left the pension office January 28 last. Never had any personal feeling against the commissioner, nor had he said that he was going after the commissioner because of his discharge. Had said that he would get even with the man who got him out. Theodore Smith had done it. Witness was then dismissed.

The commissioner denied that Leman had indorsed a note for him at the Second national bank in addition to the National Bank of the Republic.

The chairman having ascertained that there were no more witnesses to be examined, announced that the case was closed and the committee will at once begin the preparation of its report.

**Kennedy's Speech.**  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The meeting of the house judiciary committee to-day, called to consider resolutions censuring Representative Kennedy of Ohio for his speech against the senate and Senator Quay, and to expunge the speech from the Congressional Record, decided to report a resolution directing the government printer to omit the speech from the permanent copy of the Record.

**Postal Pension.**  
Special to the Gazette.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—A new post-office is established at Elme, Wilbarger county, Thomas F. Donnell, postmaster. Supplied special from Talmage from October 1.

Star mail service changes—Route from Orange to Burkerville, change service to omit Larch and run via Laurel, Newton county, between Orange and Blackwood.

Route from Lipscomb to Farwell, reduce service to tri-weekly between Ochiltree and Farwell from October 1.

Increased pension granted James W. Mayo, Tioga.

## BUSINESS.

**A BOSTON FAILURE.**

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 17.—The suspension of R. Gardner, Chase & Co., bankers and brokers, as announced in the stock exchange and at the office of the concern, is confirmed, but no official statement can be made, as all members of the firm have left the office for the day. James T. Phelps, assignee for Gardner, Chase & Co., says: "The concern was assigned to me, and the liabilities are about \$2,000,000. I shall make statement as soon as possible."

## MONEY EASY.

Action of the Treasury Department—Stringency Relieved.

The Situation More Satisfactory. There was Unnecessary Fright. "Manipulation" Caused It.

Uncle Sam will Deal Out \$20,000,000 at Once. \$16,774,000 of Bonds Purchased and \$11,000,000 More Offered.

BOND PURCHASES.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—The treasury department to-day accepted the following offers of 4 per cent. bonds made to the department in accordance with the circular of Saturday, September 13, \$8,111,000 at 126 or less; \$4,113,000 at 126 1/2; \$8,500,000 at 126 3/4-100; \$3,350,000 at 126 3/4, and 126 3/4. Offers to the amount of \$11,000,000 were received at figures at about 126 1/2.

A number of other offers were made at prices below the highest price paid, but they were rejected because they were received after noon.

Secretary Windom, at Williamstown, Mass., was in direct communication by wire with Acting-Secretary Batchelor and Assistant Secretary Nettleton while offers were being received and acted on. One official of the treasury department this afternoon called attention to the fact that including the purchase of bonds to-day, the disbursements by the treasury in thirty-two days had exceeded the receipts by \$65,000,000.

The total offers of the 4 1/2 per cent. bonds to treasury yesterday for the entire country amounted to \$1,057,500, making a total so far of \$12,050,500. The payment of interest of 4 per cent. yesterday aggregated \$851,772, making a total so far of \$1,212,000. Offers to-day for the entire country, so far as heard from, aggregated \$341,250.

**THE POST.**

Special to the Gazette.  
NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—The Post says: The recovery which began in the stock market yesterday, owing to the belief that the crisis in the money market had been passed, was continued this forenoon and the improvement was even more positive in this market than in London.

In the latter the early prices were higher for the majority of stocks than the closing figures last night, but money was also a little higher there, and held the upward movement of stocks in check. Again, the adjustment of the bond purchases by the treasurer, the bears, foreseeing that there would be some selling in order to realize on the favorable news, raided the market, and for half an hour, from 1:30 to 2 o'clock, prices were lower. But in the last half hour money was down to 4 1/2 per cent, and stocks were higher again, some stocks making their highest prices in the last half hour. Grangers were depressed most, and did not recover to the same extent as the general market. The net result for the day on the whole list was an advance of 1/2 to 1 1/2 with exceptional advances of 1 to 3 per cent. on a few specialties.

**THE COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER SAYS:**  
The market opened stronger in anticipation of the bond purchases by the treasury to-day. Most of the active stocks made gains of 1/4 to 1 point. During the afternoon the announcement was made that the full \$16,000,000 of bonds had been accepted by the secretary. A high relief was experienced. Still there was no immediate response to the good news and in some cases prices were softened off, but it was considered only a temporary and manipulated movement.

**THE MAIL AND EXPRESS** commenting on the result of the bond purchases says: The immediate effect of these purchases was never decided on the share list, partly for the reason that the market had already improved considerably in anticipation that the government would obtain the full amount for which it invited proposals. Stocks sold fractionally higher than before, except in a few instances. The remainder of the list around 1 o'clock recorded the last quotations.

**SITUATION SIZED UP.**  
Shortly before 1 o'clock the news came from Washington that \$16,774,000 of 4's had been purchased, as follows: \$8,111,000 at \$1.26; \$4,113,000 at \$1.26 1/2; \$8,500,000 at \$1.26 3/4-100 and \$3,350,000 at \$1.26 3/4. It was also announced that \$11,000,000 had been offered above \$1.26 3/4. The sub-treasury will at once begin payment for those bonds offered from New York. Over \$20,000,000 will come out into circulation at once. This successful conclusion of Mr. Windom's plans, of course, caused a further advance in stocks. Of the total bond purchases over \$25,500,000 are said to have been from New York offerings.

The Missouri Pacific railway company declared a quarterly dividend of 1 per cent, payable October 15.

Silver offered to the government to-day aggregated 519,000 ounces. The amount purchased was 326,000 ounces, as follows: Thirty thousand at \$1.16 1/4; 30,000 at \$1.16 1/2; 5,000 at \$1.16 3/4; 75,000 at \$1.16 3/4; 121,000 at \$1.16 3/4.

Stocks fell off after rallying, following the announcement of the bond purchases. Grangers especially were attacked and many closed below last night's figures. Money was very easy.

**Important changes were:** Advanced—Tennessee coal 3 1/4; Pacific Mail, Manhattan, Chicago and Eastern Illinois, Central Pacific and Chesapeake and Ohio first preferred, each 1; Cotton Oil trust, St. Paul preferred, Lake Shore, each 3/4. Declined—Oregon Short Line, 1 1/2; Rock Island and Delaware and Hudson, each 1; Burlington and Quincy and St. Paul, 3/4; Louisville and Nashville and Canadian Pacific, 3/4; Union Pacific, 3/4; Atchison and Northwestern, 3/4; New England and North American, 3/4.

**No Congratulations for Ezeta.**  
CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 17.—President Diaz yesterday received a telegram from President Ezeta of Salvador, announcing his accession to the presidency. Diaz answered Ezeta he was pleased to hear it, but he had no congratulations. Ezeta is trying to make capital out of it. Bar-

tilias' telegram congratulating Ezeta says: "I received your telegram announcing your accession to the presidency of Salvador. Hope the country will be in peace."

German steamers between Vera Cruz and Hamburg will increase their number of trips.

**G. O. P. DAY.**

State Conventions in Massachusetts' New Hampshire and Colorado.

Mississippi Solves the Suffrage Question a Last—The Dual Representative Convention at Gollad.

COLORADO REPUBLICANS.

DENVER, Colo., Sept. 17.—The Republican state convention met here this morning at 10 o'clock and elected Alexander Gallitzin of Pueblo temporary chairman, appointed a committee on credentials and took a recess till 2 p. m.

**MISSISSIPPI CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.**  
JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 17.—The suffrage question may be regarded as settled so far as Mississippi is concerned. Voting was begun to-day section by section on the report of the committee on elective franchise. The voting developed that the convention stands almost 2 to 1 in favor of the committee's report and its adoption by an emphatic majority is no longer a question of doubt.

All of the following four sections of the report were adopted by an overwhelming majority.

Section 1. All elections by the people should be by ballot.

Sec. 2. Every male inhabitant of this state, except idiots and insane persons and Indians not taxed, who is a citizen of the United States twenty-one years old and upwards, who has resided in this state two years and one year in the election district in which he offers to vote, and who is duly registered as provided in section 3 of this article, and who has not been convicted of bribery, burglary, theft, arson, obtaining money or goods under false pretenses, shall be entitled to vote, if otherwise qualified.

Sec. 3. The legislature shall provide by law for registration of